

**EXHIBIT A**  
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Charlie Shrem &lt;cshrem@gmail.com&gt;

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**This is what we need to do.....**

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Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 7:49 PM

[REDACTED]  
To: Erik Voorhees <erik@bitinstant.com>, Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Roger Ver <Roger@bitinstant.com>, Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

I know lots of people that could help you make this happen. This is an area where FirstMark (or any VC) would also be incredibly helpful from an access/capital/credibility perspective. We should discuss once you move resolve the FirstMark stuff one way or another.

BTW, are you guys in the office tomorrow? I could use some help with creating a "cold" wallet.



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**From:** Erik Voorhees <erik@bitinstant.com>**Date:** Sat, 29 Dec 2012 23:30:32 -0500**To:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>**Cc:** Roger Ver <roger@bitinstant.com>, [REDACTED] Ira Miller  
<ira@bitinstant.com>, Patrick Murck <patrick@engagelegal.com>**Subject:** Re: This is what we need to do.....

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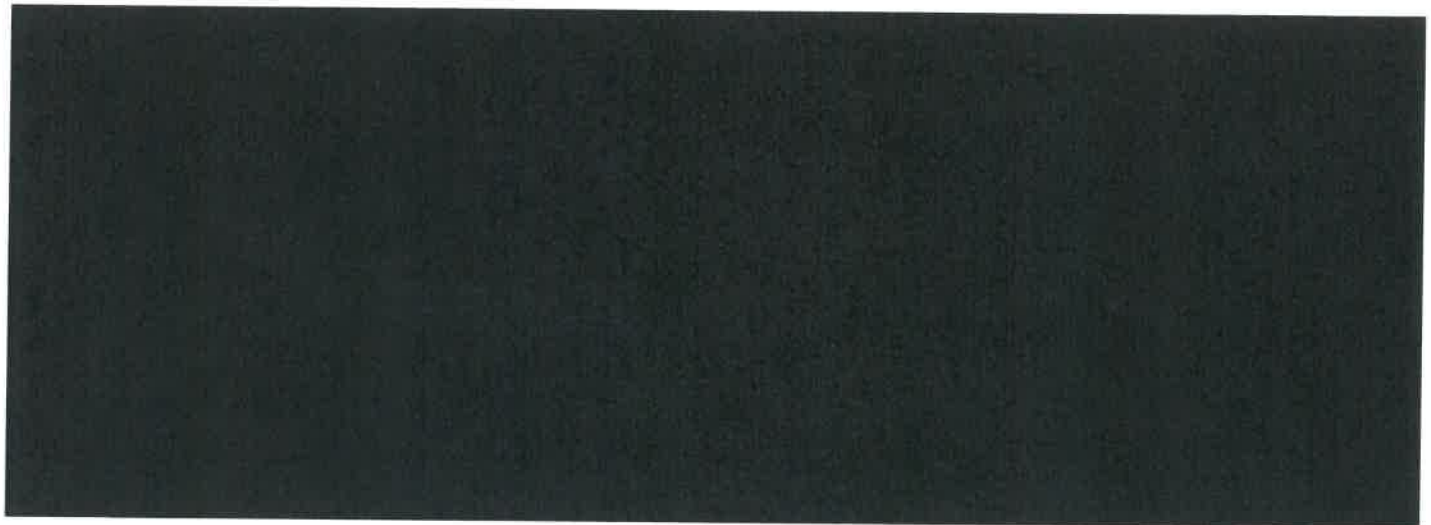


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Charlie Shrem &lt;cshrem@gmail.com&gt;

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:05 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Erik Voorhees &lt;erik@bitinstant.com&gt;, Roger Ver &lt;Roger@bitinstant.com&gt;, Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

Hey,

I'm having coffee really early with Larry. We should be losing around 2pm depending on how busy we are, but Erik is away visiting his family. Ira and I can work with you, what time were you thinking?

/Charlie

Sent from my iPhone 5

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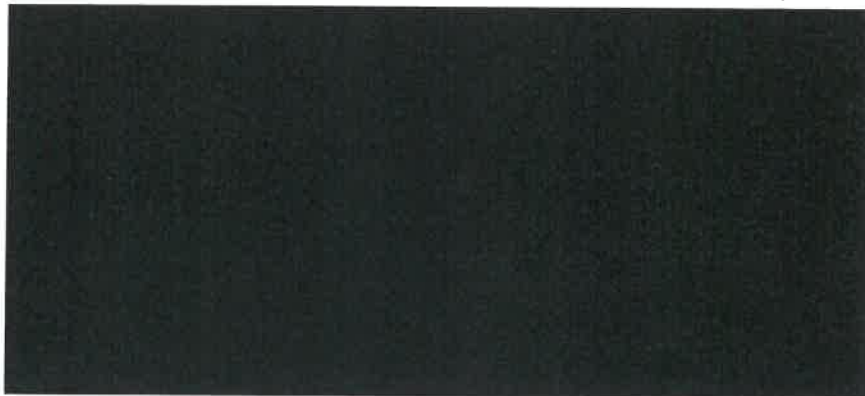


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[REDACTED]  
To: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:08 PM

Cool. I'm taking tomorrow off, so just tell me what time is good for you and Ira and I'll swing by. Thx!



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Sun, 30 Dec 2012 20:05:00 -0500

[REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Erik Voorhees <erik@bitinstant.com>, Roger Ver <roger@bitinstant.com>, Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

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Charlie Shrem &lt;cshrem@gmail.com&gt;

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:13 PM

To:

Cc: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

How's noon?

/Charlie

Sent from my iPhone 5

On Dec 30, 2012, at 8:08 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:

Cool. I'm taking tomorrow off, so just tell me what time is good for you and Ira and I'll swing by. Thx!



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[REDACTED]  
To: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:17 PM

Great. See you then

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
**Date:** 2012 20:13:01 -0500  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

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Charlie Shrem &lt;cshrem@gmail.com&gt;

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 8:23 PM

To:

Cc: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

Awesome!

/Charlie

Sent from my iPhone 5

On Dec 30, 2012, at 8:17 PM, [REDACTED] wrote:

Great. See you then

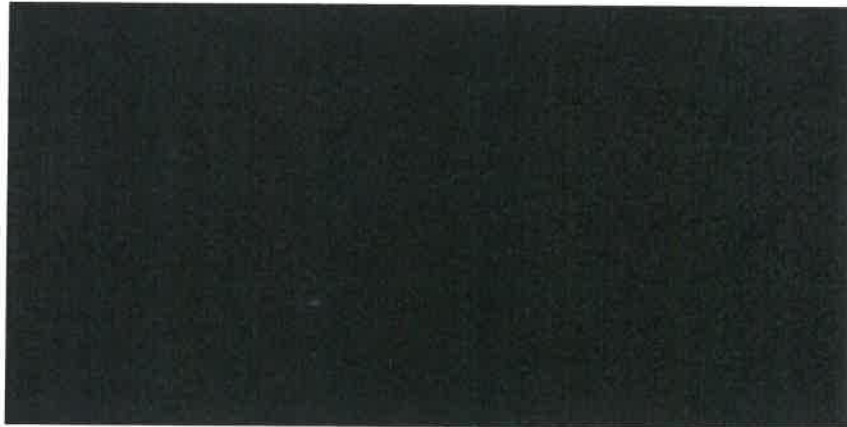


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**Ira Miller** <ira@bitinstant.com>

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 9:36 PM

To: Charlie Shrem &lt;cshrem@gmail.com&gt;

Cc: [REDACTED]

I'll be there, but my laptop screen just broke. Good thing we bought that netbook for setting up cold storage wallets.

-Ira

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**Charlie 'Charles' Shrem** <cshrem@gmail.com>

Sun, Dec 30, 2012 at 9:55 PM

To: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

Cc: [REDACTED]

Cool!

Thanks,

Charlie

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[REDACTED]  
To: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 9:47 AM

Guys — to expedite, should I send my coins to any particular address now? I trust you and don't mind it being a BitInstant address



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Sun, 30 Dec 2012 20:23:14 -0500

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Hey [REDACTED], how many coins?

/Charlie

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[REDACTED]  
To: Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 9:57 AM

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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Mon, 31 Dec 2012 09:55:38 -0500

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**Charlie 'Charles' Shrem** <cshrem@gmail.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 10:31 AM

To:

Cc: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

Hey send to: 1Shremdh9tVop1gxMzJ7baHxp6XX2WWRW

Thanks,

Charlie

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[REDACTED]  
To: Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:04 AM

Ugh. Blockchain appears to be down



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Mon, 31 Dec 2012 10:31:38 -0500

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**Charlie 'Charles' Shrem** <cshrem@gmail.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:36 AM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

Hey, did you get it working?

Thanks,

Charlie

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[REDACTED]  
To: Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:38 AM

Nope, site still down



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:36:33 -0500

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**Charlie 'Charles' Shrem** <cshrem@gmail.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:39 AM

To:

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Ya, its on/off here as well.

Thanks,

Charlie

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[REDACTED]  
To: Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:41 AM

Yeah, great timing. How late will you guys be in the office today?



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:39:22 -0500

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**Charlie 'Charles' Shrem** <cshrem@gmail.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:42 AM

To:

Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

You were our last meeting actually. Are your funds on blockchain? If not, we dont need to use it.

Thanks,

Charlie

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To: Charlie "Charles" Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:48 AM

Not sure what you mean. I use the Blockchain e-wallet



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:42:54 -0500

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**Charlie 'Charles' Shrem** <cshrem@gmail.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:57 AM

To:

Cc: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

Ya, thats what I was asking, if your funds were on blockchain.

Looks like its down, wanna reschedule to Wens?

Thanks,

Charlie

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To: Charlie 'Charles' Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>  
Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 11:59 AM

Thurs is better for me. Before 9:30 am or 10:45 am – 11:30 am



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:57:05 -0500

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Cc: Ira Miller <ira@bitinstant.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:00 PM

Just started working...give me three mins to see if I can send



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Mon, 31 Dec 2012 11:57:05 -0500

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**Charlie 'Charles' Shrem** <cshrem@gmail.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:02 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

OK

Thanks,

Charlie

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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:02 PM

Sent!



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:04 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

Got it! Coming?

Thanks,

Charlie

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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:08 PM

Be there in 3 mins



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Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:08 PM

btw, that is soooo fucking cool that I just sent \$65,000 in two minutes with no fee!



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**From:** Charlie Shrem <cshrem@gmail.com>

**Date:** Mon, 31 Dec 2012 12:04:20 -0500

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**Charlie 'Charles' Shrem** <cshrem@gmail.com>

Mon, Dec 31, 2012 at 12:09 PM

To:

Cc: Ira Miller &lt;ira@bitinstant.com&gt;

Welcome to Bitcoin :)

Thanks,

Charlie

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